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FOR MAURICE F KILEY, ATG DIST DIRECTOR

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SUBJECT: ASYLUM REQUEST - NGEK HUAT CHEOW

REF: TELEX - 11 JULY 1974

1. WE DO NOT BELIEVE NGEK HUAT CHEOW, CITIZEN OF SINGAPORE HAS A VALID CLAIM TO ASYLUM. MAJORITY OF PEOPLE OF SINGAPORE ARE OF CHINESE ORIGIN AND RACIAL PERSECUTION OF CHINESE IN SINGAPORE DOES NOT EXIST. THERE IS NO REASON TO BELIEVE HE WOULD SUFFER PERSECUTION OF ANY KIND SHOULD HE RETURN TO SINGAPORE. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT HE WILL NOT REPEAT NOT BE DEPORTED TO THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

2. ON THE BASIS OF THE INFORMATION THUS FAR SUBMITTED, WE ARE UNABLE TO CONCLUDE THAT NGEK HUAT CHEOW SHOULD BE EXEMPTED FROM REGULAR IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES ON THE BASIS HE WOULD SUFFER PERSECUTION ON ACCOUNT OF RACE, RELIGION, NATIONALITY, POLITICAL OPINION, OR MEMBERSHIP

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IN A PARTICULAR SOCIAL GROUP SHOULD HE RETURN TO SINGAPORE.

SHOULD HE PRESENT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH TO THE
SERVICE SEEMS TO REQUIRE FURTHER REVIEW, WE WILL OF COURSE
BE PLEASED TO GIVE FURTHER CONSIDERATION TO HIS CASE. SISCO

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